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In re application of:

Douglas E. BRENNEMAN et al.

Application No.: 09/936,888

Filed: September 12, 2001

For: PREVENTION OF FETAL  
ALCOHOL SYNDROME AND  
NEURONAL CELL DEATH WITH  
ADNF POLYPEPTIDES

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The references cited on attached form PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B are being called to the attention of the Examiner. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(d), copies of the references can be found in Application No. 09/267,511, filed March 12, 1999 (Attorney Docket No. 015280-377000US). It is respectfully requested that the cited references be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and be made of record therein and appear among the "references cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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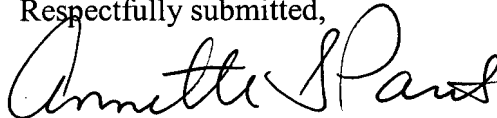
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